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PRESIDENT ROBAK: Thank you, Senator Wickersham. Is there any further discussion on LB 19? Seeing none, Senator Lindsay, do you wish to close?

SENATOR LINDSAY: Madam President, I believe Senator Chambers...

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Excuse me, Senator Chambers, do you wish to close?

SENATOR CHAMBERS: And, Madam President, since the only thing that came out of Senator Lindsay's mouth was my name, I can't think of a better close.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Thank you, Senator Chambers. The question before the body is the advancement of LB 19. All those in favor vote aye, all those opposed vote nay. Have you all voted? Please record.

ASSISTANT CLERK: 31 ayes, 0 nays on the motion to advance the bill.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: LB 19 advances. LB 161.

CLERK: LB 161, Madam President, a bill introduced by Senator McKenzie and Day. (Read title.) The bill was introduced on January 6, referred to the Judiciary Committee. The bill was advanced to General File. I do have committee amendments pending by the Judiciary Committee.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Thank you. The Chair recognizes Senator Lindsay on the committee amendments.

SENATOR LINDSAY: Thank you, Madam President. These committee amendments would adjust the good time and change of name actions, maybe wouldn't. The committee amendments simply, what the bill does, and I have to explain a little bit about what the bill does in order to justify the committee amendments. What the bill does is it changes, when you're changing your name or filing a petition to change a name of a child, it requires right now, the statute requires that you publish that in a newspaper for four consecutive weeks. The bill brought by Senator McKenzie would reduce that publication from four weeks down to two weeks, and the reason being you're dealing with a child. The purpose of the publication is generally to notify creditors